

# **NONPROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION**

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## **BOX PATENT APPLICATION**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional patent application

For (Title): POLYMERIC CONTAINERS FOR 1,1-DISUBSTITUTED MONOMER COMPOSITIONS

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- ☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-2; 2 sheets) are attached.  
☐ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith.  
☐ An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_ is filed herewith.  
☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.  
☐ A statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is filed herewith.  
☐ A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith.  
☒ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Applications Nos. 60/106,093, filed October 29, 1998 and 60/147,259, filed August 5, 1999.--

☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

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ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NOTED ABOVE

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BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	55 - 20	= 35 *
INDEP CLAIMS	6 - 3	= 3 *
<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED		

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### **SMALL ENTITY**

RATE	FEE
	\$ 380
x 9 =	\$
x 39 =	\$
+130 =	\$
TOTAL	\$

### **OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY**

RATE	FEE
	\$ 760
x 18 =	\$ 630
x 78 =	\$ 234
+260 =	\$
TOTAL	\$1624

- ☒ Check No. 104012 in the amount of \$1,624.00 to cover the filing fee is attached. Except as otherwise noted herein, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.  
☐ This application is entitled to small entity status. DO NOT charge large entity fees to our Deposit Account.

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